

29 May 1961

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

**SUBJECT: Luncheon and Briefing - Mr. William P. Gullledge,
Staff Director and Counsel, and Mr. J. Don Kerlin,
Assistant Staff Director, Senate Committee on Post
Office and Civil Service - 25 May 1961**

1. Mr. William P. Gullledge, the new Staff Director of the Senate Committee on Post Office and Civil Service, and his Deputy, Mr. J. Don Kerlin, came to the Agency for lunch which was hosted by General Cabell. Those in attendance at the luncheon were:

General Charles P. Cabell

Mr. Lyman B. Kirkpatrick

Colonel L. K. White

Mr. Lawrence R. Houston

Colonel Matthew Baird

Mr. Emmett Echols

Colonel Sheffield Edwards

Mr. Edward R. Saunders

Mr. John S. Warner

Deputy Director of Central
Intelligence

Inspector General

Deputy Director (Support)

General Counsel

Director of Training

Director of Personnel

Director of Security

Comptroller

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Assistant Legislative Counsel

Assistant General Counsel

2. After the luncheon, General Cabell, Messrs, Gullledge, Kerlin, Warner, [redacted] gathered in the Director's small office for an informal briefing on the Agency, its organizational structure and, in a very general sense, some of the current problems facing the Agency. Copies of Agency Regulations [redacted]

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[redacted] were given to the Committee staff some weeks ago together with a background briefing on these two regulations. Mr. Gullledge, by his questions, expressed a definite, friendly interest in learning more of the Agency so that he might better assist the Committee and the Agency in problems of mutual interest. Mr. Kerlin evidenced a rather keen appreciation of our general personnel problems and even offered some tentative suggestions for consideration in areas such as early retirement.

3. Upon departure, both Mr. Gullledge and Mr. Kerlin indicated their pleasure in having been invited over for luncheon and briefing and expressed their willingness to assist the Agency in whatever problems we might have before the Committee.

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Luncheon For

**William P. Gullidge, Staff Director and Counsel
and**

J. Don Marlin, Assistant Staff Director

Senate Committee on Post Office and Civil Service

Thursday, 25 May 1961

1:00 P.M.

General Charles P. Cabell

**Deputy Director of Central
Intelligence**

Mr. Lyman D. Kirkpatrick

Inspector General

Colonel Lawrence E. White

Deputy Director (Support)

Mr. Lawrence R. Houston

General Counsel

Colonel Matthew Baird

Director of Training

Mr. Bennett Nichols

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

**SUBJECT: Proposed Luncheon and Briefing -
Mr. William P. Gulledge, Staff Director
and Counsel, Senate Committee on Post
Office and Civil Service**

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1. This memorandum contains a recommendation submitted for approval of the Deputy Director of Central Intelligence. Such recommendation is contained in paragraph 4.

2. Some weeks ago I mentioned to you the desirability of having William P. Gulledge, Staff Director for the Senate Post Office and Civil Service Committee, down to the Agency for luncheon and briefing. It was also suggested that we invite the number two man, J. Don Kerlin.

50X1 [redacted] Gulledge was appointed to his present position at the beginning of this session but previously has served for a number of years on the Hill in varying positions. I met with Mr. Gulledge two months ago, leaving with him 50X1 copies of Agency Regulations [redacted]

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3. Inevitably there will arise matters affecting the Agency which will come under the cognizance of the Senate Post Office and Civil Service Committee and it would be appropriate if the principal staff members had a clear idea of our place in the Executive Branch. The following personnel from the Agency are suggested for a guest list and it is hoped that the Deputy Director of Central Intelligence would conduct the actual briefing in which not all the Agency people need stay:

Mr. Lyman Kirkpatrick ✓
Colonel L. K. White ✓
Mr. Lawrence R. Houston
Colonel Matthew Baird

Mr. Emmett Echols ✓
Colonel Sheffield Edwards ✓
Mr. Edward R. Saunders ✓
Mr. John S. Warner

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4. It is recommended that you approve these general arrangements and, if you approve, arrangements will be made at a suitable date in the future.

s/ John S. Warner

JOHN S. WARNER
Legislative Counsel

The recommendation in
paragraph 4 is approved.

SIGNED

11 MAY 1961

C. P. Cabell
General, USAF
Deputy Director

Date

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